River Day and Summerfest

Celebrating the Hudson · Fulton · Champlain Quadricentennial

SUNDAY, JUNE 7TH

Historic ships!

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Biking and kayaking!

A parade!

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Fun for everyone!

RIVER DAY FLOTILLA

A spectacular flotilla of historic ships—including the Half Moon, Clearwater, Onrust, Woody Guthrie, Mystic Whaler, Riverkeeper and the fireboat John Henry—will sail past Croton on Sunday morning between 9 and 11 a.m.* The picnic pavilion area of Croton Point Park will be the best place to watch this once-in-a-lifetime event.

BIKE & PADDLE AT CROTON LANDING

After passing Croton Point, the Half Moon will sail to Croton Landing and exchange a canon salute with the Croton Yacht Club. Bring your bike or kayak and enjoy Croton's beautiful new riverfront park while the Half Moon is anchored offshore.

22ND ANNUAL SUMMERFEST

The fun moves to the Upper Village in the afternoon, for the 22nd Annual Croton Summerfest. Come see the parade and enjoy delicious food, wonderful entertainment, street vendors and more. Grand Street and Old Post Road from 1:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m.

Because of the nature of this event the time is approximate. The ships are scheduled to depart from Tarrytown at 8 a.m. and arrive at Haverstraw and Croton at 11 a.m.

WHAT IS THE QUADRICENTENNIAL?

This year marks the dual 400th anniversaries of the voyage of Henry Hudson, who led the first European expedition to sail up the river that now bears his name, and Samuel de Champlain, the first European to gaze upon the waters of his namesake lake.

To celebrate these simultaneous quadricentennials—as well as the 200th anniversary of Robert Fulton's maiden journey up the Hudson River on the first successful steamboat—New York State and its many communities (including Croton) have planned a yearlong series of events celebrating our Dutch, French and English heritage.

River Day is the first Croton Quadricentennial event and more are planned for later in the year.

If you would like information about the Quadricentennial and the many state-wide events, visit ExploreNY400.com.

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